It becomes our painful duty to announce which venerable George Washington Parke Custis, the last of the members of the family of Washington.

Mr. Costis died at Arlington, near this city, after a brief illness, on the morning of the 10th instant, in the 77th year of his age. For several years he had stood alone in his relations to the Father of his Country, ever anxious, with filial reverence and affection, to illustrate his character, and from the rich stores of his never-failing memory to bring forward an annual tribute to his im-mortal worth. Known and honored by his fellow-coun-

death of his father, (Col. Custis, of the army, and a son childhood and youth at Mount Vernon, where his man-ners were formed after the noblest models, and from the ners were formed after the noblest models, and from the great worthies of that period, frequent guests there, he received impressions of wisdom and patriotism that were never effects. Under the counsels of Washington he pursued his classical studies at Princeton, and when deprived by death of his great guide and father, (and soon after of his revered grandmother,) he devoted himself to literary and agricultural pursuits on his ample estate of Arlington, the gift, by will, of that illustrious man. He was early united in marriage to Miss Mary Lee Fitzhugh, of Virginia, a lady of unsurreassed excellences, in all the revirginia, a lady of unsurpassed excellences in all the re-lations of life, and whose irreparable loss, three years ago, he continued with sorrow and affectionate admiration, to his final day, profoundly to deplore. One daughter (Mrs. Lee, wife of Col. Robert Lee, of the army) and several

randchildren survive him.

Mr. Custis was distinguished by an original genies for eloquence, poetry, and the fine arts; by a knowledge of ory, particularly the history of this country; for great spitality, for kindness to the poor, for patriotism, for of friendship, and for a more than filial devotion to the memory and character of Washington. His early speeches on the death of Gen. Lingan and the overthrow of Napoleon were everywhere read and admired, even by those who dissented from the sentiments, for the beauty of their conception and their impassioned elo-quence. Those familiar with the columns of this journal vill not forget how largely we and the country are indebted to the warm and ever cheerful spirit of the deceased for many invaluable reminiscences of revolutionary history, of the distinguished men of those times, and ospecially of the private life of their glorious chief in the ment of the shades of his home at Mount Vernon.

sands from this country and from foreign lands wh have visited Arlington to commune with our departed friend, and look upon the touching memorials there gred up with care of him who was first in the hearts of his countrymen, will not forget the charm thrown over all by the ease, grace, interest, and vivacity of the manners and conversation of him whose voice, alas! is silent now. The multitudes of our fellow-citizens accus-Arlington will hereafter miss that old men eloquent, who ever extended to them a warm-hearted welcome and be-

ong a believer in the great truths of Divine Revela tion, Mr. Custis turned to these for consolation in his last days, and died in communion with the Protestant Episco-pal Church.—Natimal Invelligencer.

The Galveston Civilian of the 3d inst. says that "instructions from the State Department at Washington have been received by the United States marshal of Texas and the collector of customs at Galveston stating that there is reason to believe that lawless persons are now engaged within the limits of the United States in setting on foot within the limits of the United States in setting on loot and preparing the means for military expeditions to be carried on against the territories of Mexico, Nicaragua, and Costa Rica, and unging those officers to use all due diligence, and to avail themselves of all legitimate means at their command to enforce the neutrality laws against those who may be found to be engaged in setting on foot

those who may be found to be engaged in setting on foot or preparing such military expeditions.

The Galveston News understands that the new steamship now being built for Mr. Vanderbilt for the New Orleans and Texas trade will soon be completed and brought out. She is said to be larger than either the Galveston or Opelousas, and well adapted to the trade for which she has been expressly built. On her arrival out, it is expected this line will bring us three Texas mails per week throughout the veer. ed this line will bring us three Texas mails per week throughout the year.

The Indianolian of the 3d inst. furnishes the following

A rumor reached town yesterday that the down train of government contractors, under the escort of twenty privates, one subaltern, and two sergeants, detailed by order of General Twiggs, have been attacked on the

ance, we are likely to have a prosperous season.

Quite a number of volunteers, recruited under the auspices of Brevet Col. W. R. Henry, for the Nicaraguan service, have arrived in town, and will leave on one of the steamers to-day for Galveston.

Soldiers of the War of 1812.—The members or the "Association or the Solders of the War of 1812 of the District of Columbias" will assemble at the City Hall this (Tuesday) morning, the 13th instant, at 10 o'clock, to proceed thence, in carriages, to Arlington, for the purpose of uniting in paying functionablements to their departed follow member George Washington Parke Cusis.

W. W. SEATON,
President of the Association.

Per The Rev. Wm. Pinkney, D. D., having a pleat the call of the vestry of the Church of the Ascension, will en you the duties of his rectarding on Sanday, Votober 11.

Persons desiring pews in the church will pieuse apply to C. F. HUKLBURT,
Register of Ascension Church,
Room No. 11, west wing Patent Office

### Sept 5-TuWkStft ODD FELLOWS HALL.

SECOND AND LAST WEEK !- COME AND LAUGH! Scenes in Ventriloguism, New Peats in M THE LEARNED CANARY BIRDS AND SPIRIT RAPTING.

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and give his popular exhibitions EVERY EVENING, commencing at 3 before 8 o'clock, and on WEINESDAY and SATURDAY ANTER-NOONS at 3 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. Children, 13 couts.

ATIONAL DEMOCRATIC ASSOCIATION.—A special meeting of the members of the above-named associam will be held at Temperance Hall, Estrect, between Ninth and substroves, on Monday evening next, at early coulde lighting. The meand attendance of the members is sarnessly requested. Oct 10-21

# Regimental Headquarters Volunteers,

Washington, October 4, 1857.

THE regiment will assemble for the annual parade, as prescribed by law, at the usual parade ground at the City listi, at 10 o'clock, a.m., on Monday, the 19th lust., (being the annivercary of the battle and victory of Yorktown.)

All officers of the regiment are required to be punctual in their attendance; and those having command of companies will give each member of them the proper notice previous to that time, and have them in line precisely at that hour.

By order of Colonel Hickey:

Oct 9

H. N. OBER, Adjutant.

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### GENERAL SUMMARY.

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New Haven Register or constitute of the peared suddenly from his father's house near Misdletown, and was last seen going to the barn, hear which lived a laboring man whom the lad had frequently assuised of strailing his father's grain. On the disappearance of the lad the man altoded to was arrested on suspicion of having foully disposed of him, but was shown that the lad hel not been seen alive since his visit to the barn, and a hole in the ice in the Connecticut river, at a point nearest the barn, gave color to the suspicion that the boy had been killed, and put through this hole. About a month since the body of a lad floated ashore near the mouth of the river, and, although the head was gone, the parents of young Sege were so confident that it was their son that they assumed and buried it as such.

"We now learn that within a day or two a sailor has returned to Middletown, and volunturily, before a magistrate, testified that he accidentally saw the faurder, and that the man first arrested is the guilty one. He says he was going by the barn, and heard some one charging another with 'stealing grain and hay,' which was denied and reiterated; and apprehending violence, stepped into the barn just as the man felled the lad to the floor with a threshing flail, killing him instantly. He says the man's wife was also present, and that as soon as they saw him they came at him, and that it was only by a promise not to reveal what he had seen that his life was spared. He soon sailed on a voyage, from which he had just returned, and hastened back to the scene of the murder to unburden his conscience of the suppression, which he says has made him miserable during his whole absence. Steps were immediately taken for the arrest of the murderer, and he has been under examination in Middletown to-day."

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Some of the papers are lecturing women on extravagance in dress, and advising them to retrench, especially
during the present financial difficulty. Doubtless there
are many cases of unwarrantable extravagance in this
way; but do people ever consider that two or three
glasses of brandy and half a dozen regalias, indulged in
daily by a man, to say nothing of five and ten-dollar
dinners, amount to more in a year than would be required
to dress a woman up to the full requirements of fashion?
Much of this talk about the extravagance of women is
nonsense. They are almost universally careful, and
many a trader would to-day have been sufe and sound if
he had listened to the prudent counsels of his wife,
rather than the reckless promptings of his own ambition.
It is natural for mean men to endeavor to shift the responsibility of their folly to other shoulders; but it is
rather too much to charge a commercial revulsion like
this upon one's wife and daughter.

The Bradford (Pennsylvania) Argus says: "It affords

this upon one's wife and daughter.

The Bradford (Pennsylvania) Argus says: "It affords us pleasure to record another instance of success of a young citizen late of this county. M. P. Bull, esq., a son of our old townsman, Colonel D. M. Bull, who learned the 'art preservative of all arts' in this village, emigrated West some years ago, studied law, was admitted to the bar of the several courts of Illinois; after which he located himself in Nebraska, and early this summer, while sojourning in a flourishing county of southwestern Iowa, was tendered the nomination of district attorney, and at the recent election was elected."

The Cleveland Plaindealer says the steamer Telegraph brings back from Cana la on every trip families of negroes brings back from Canada on every trip families of negroes who have formerly fled to the provinces from the States. They describe the life and condition of the blacks in Canada as miserable in the extreme. They are principally from Canada West. Ohio and Michigan are likely to have large accessions to their negro population from that source. The Canadians have shown a disposition in their Parliament and in their every day transactions to discourage the negro population coming to or remaining in the prov-

The Richmond Enquirer of yesterday morning says:

"It will be seen, by the proclamation of the governor in another column, that the Bank of Kanawha, in this State, has ceased to redeem its notes in gold and silver; that its assets, to a large amount, have been removed beyond the limits of Virginia; and that the governor has prohibited the bills or notes of said bank from being received in payment of any money due to the State. The president of the bank, in a letter to the governor, states that the bank has retired three-fifths of its entire circula-tion in the past five weeks."

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EAST TERMESSEE AND VIRGINIA RAILROAD.—The cars on
this road now run to Kleper's, ten miles beyond Jonesboro', thus reducing the staging to 31 miles. Within a
year this company have laid more than 50 miles of road,
and the president has strong hopes that the entire line
will be finished by the 1st of February next. The board
of directors of the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad Company, with commendable promptitude, convened at the
commencement of the present monetary crisis, and passed
a resolution instructing their agents and officers to take
in payment of dues the notes of all the Virginia banks.

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Mrs. Lucy Osgood, of Salisbury, Massachusetts, now in
her 97th year, for two years has attended the "Cattle
Show" in Newburyport. When the stage called for her
in the evening she for some time declined entering it because it was crowded, saying she could walk to Salisbury,
which was some three miles. This year she walked from
the north end and visited the Fair, apparently no more
fatigued than half the girls who had seen twenty summers. Since she was ninety vears old she has walked mers. Since she was ninety years old she has from Salisbury and experienced no inconvenience

The Boston Transcript publishes the following extract from a private letter, dated London, September 25th:
"I am sorry to tell you of the death of old Mr. Sinclair. He has been failing with gout, &c., for a long time, and just lasted long enough to know and rejoice at his daughter's success on the London boards. He died on the 22d. His death proceeded immediately from exhaustion and age. He was 75 years old."

There were in August last about eight hundred Ameri cans residing in Calcutta, and in this number were in-cluded many women and children. There was a good deal of anxiety among all classes of the inhabitants, and the Americans were thinking of sending their women and children home by the ship Deniel Webster, which was in port, loading for Boston.

The steamer Niagara, at Boston, when off Boston light, at eight o'clock on the evening of the 8th inst, struck the schooner Harriet Maria, from Boston for New Orleans, and sunk her. The latter had eighteen passengers on board, one of whom, named Daniel Higgins, of New Orleans, was killed by the collision. The remainder were taken on board the Niagara. The schooner had an assorted car-

A Mrs. Snyder, residing near McGaheysville, Rocking-ham county, Virginia, one day last week suddenly fell down, apparently dead. The necessary burial-clothes were procured, and while her friends were engaged in dressing her in the habiliments of the grave she politely requested them to wait until she was dead! She is now residite inspeccions.

apidly improving. The Charlottesville (Va.) Advocate learns that the work on the railroad from that place to Lynchburg is to be suspended in consequence of the "hard times." The first 20 miles, which will only need \$20,000 more, it is believed, will be completed before the suspension.

The house of cx-Governor Dunlap, of Brunswick, Maine, was burnt on the evening of the 3d instant. His son, Dr. Charles R. Dunlap, was so severely burnt that it is thought he will not recover. The family were in bed at the time of the fire, and all the contents of the house were destroyed.

were destroyed. The ship Sultana, which arrived at New Orleans on Saturday, reports having seen four bodies and a piece of wreck on the 23d ult. off the coast of North Carolina. The bodies were supposed to be those of passengers lost by the disaster to the Central America.

Reliable telegraphic news from Charleston announces the suspension of the Bank of the State of South Caro-lina, a State institution, of which C. M. Firman is presi-

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\$5,000 of the floating debt of the corporation remains unpaid, he having, in consideration of the deranged state of the currency of the country, anticipated the maturity of three loans, amounting in all, including interest due, \$28,306 66; thereby saving the corporation the in-

fill the two vacancies in the new board of school trustees.

They were both confirmed.

A bill making an appropriation of \$3,965 39 to supply

o take up the "police bill."

The lower board adjourned early without transacting

THE NEW DOME.—The work upon the new dome is going forward quite rapidly. The wall has been filled up between the heavy cast-iron brackets to the top, and some of the plinths forming the base of the heavy fron columns have been fitted in place ready to receive the columns. The immense pilasters have begun to arrive at the works from the manufactory, and preparations are be-ing made to commence putting them up by the first of next week. As fast as they go up the columns will follow, and before the season closes there will be a sufficient number of them up to give the spectator an idea of the grand proportions of the dome when it is completed. The drawings for the first section are about completed, and will furnish a sufficient amount of work to occupy the hands through the next entire working season. It is expected that the drawings will go into the hands of the founders some time next week. The wall on which rests the massive weight of iron composing the dome is laid in hydraulic cement, which, when dried, becomes as hard as the brick itself, and between every other course of brick lock strips of sheet-iron are laid in the wall and lapped at place the blocks in their appropriate places.

THE COURT OF CLAIMS YESTERDAY. -The court was open ed punctually at 12 o'clock. Testimony was ordered to be taken in several cases, and calls were made upon the Treasury and Navy Departments for evidence; after which the court adjourned to meet again at 12 o'clock on

ion, leaving all the questions of law and fact to com tal of testimony on the part of the United States.

ARRIVALS AT THE PORT OF WASHINGTON. -- Turce lumbs hooners from Port Deposit; the steamer Columbia, from Baltimore, discharged at Riley's wharf consignments for Wm. Lord, Jackson & Bro., Thompson & Hamilton, Samuel Pumphrey, Wm. Bryan, Hon. J. B. Floyd, Murray & Brothers' wharf, and a large quantity of oysters.

ANOTHER MEETING of the citizens of Georgetown w held last evening at Forrest Hall, to discuss the propriety of subscribing \$200,000 to the capital stock of the Alexndria, Hampshire, and Loudoun railroad.

yesterday, with one hundred tons of guano. The schooner Mary Haley, from Boston, discharged two hundred and

WILLIAM BARBOUR has been appointed superintendent of the copper-rolling mill at the Washington navy-yard.

ences at Odd Fellows' Hall for another week.

The Philodemic Society of Georgetown College being informed of the death of G. W. P. Cusus, on motion of Mr. C. B. Kenny, a committee of three was appointed to prepare a preamble and resolutions expressing the feel-ings of the society at the melancholy event. The comttee, consisting of Messrs. Kenny, Pa., Rost, La., and Sullivan, N. Y., reported the following, which was unanimously adopted :

Whereas in the deceased this society has ever recognised a warm and efficient friend, an able and eloquent member, an earnest and ardent promoter of its principles;

and
Whereas, by his death, our common country has lost a
patriot national and true, a citizen honest and liberal,
affluent without estentation, noble without pride, courteous, kind, and affable in his deportment, envied by a

name: Therefore, be it

Resolved, That this society expresses its deep and earnest regret for the loss of so distinguished and honored a

est regret for the loss of so distinguished and honored a member.

Resolved, That this society sympathizes with our fellow-citizens throughout the country in being deprived of one so worthy of affectionate regard, and that it participates in the feelings which the tidings of his death must everywhere awaken.

Resolved, That this society expresses its sincere condolence with the family and friends of the deceased in the irreparable loss they have sustained, and that, in testimony of this sorrow, each member will wear the usual badge of mourning for the space of thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of our deceased fellow-member.

Resolved, That these proceedings be published in the Washington Union, New York Herald, Philadelphia Press, and St. Louis Leader.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

Three Days Later from Burget. 

regents still held Delhi.

The imperial interview at Stuttgardt had terminated.

Losdon. — Money was very active. Consols at 90. [SECOND DESPATOR.]

Asia arrived at Liverpool on the 27th, and Kanga The Asia arrived at Liverpool on the 27th, and Kangaroo the 29th.

Calcutta dates of the 23d, Bombay 31st August, and Belhi dates of the 17th, have just been received.

There had been remerous sharp encounters between the English forces and the insurgents, in which the latter were defeated.

European reinforcements were arriving, and att attack on Delhi was expected on or about the 20th.

Gen. Havelock reached Lucknow after two more victorious engagements, but, owing to his weakened force, was compelled to return to Cawapore.

A doubtful despatch says he reached Lucknow, the garrison of which still beld out, and that the garrison at Agra was still secure, but quite precarious.

Admiral Seymour had proclaimed the blockade of the Cauton river.

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The imperial interview at Stuttgardt lasted four days, during which time the Emperor and Casr had several private interviews. Both the Emperor and the Caar had stated for Weimer.

ting of the British Parliament would be shortly

been extended to September, 1858.

A modification of the Spanish ministry is still being agitated. Sardinia is making advances towards a reconciliation

Laverroot, Tuesday.—Cotton—sales for three days, 12,500. Slow of sale, but prices were unaltered. The market closed quiet and steady. Speculators took 1,000 bales.

Breadstuffs closed steady. Flour was quiet and the market was easier, but prices were unchanged. Wheat closed buoyant. Corn quiet.

Provisions were dull. Beef was heavy, and holders were pressing on the market. Bacon closed firm. Lard was dull.

Groceries.—Sugar was quiet. Coffee steady. Diese

LYERTGOL, Wednesday afternoon.—Estimated sales of cotton to-day, 6,000 bales, closing quiet. Surat had declined \$\frac{1}{2}d.\$ Other articles were unchanged. LONDON MARKETS.—Money closed very active. Flour was dull. Sugar closed steady, but inferior qualities had slightly declined.

New York, Oct. 12-12 m .- Goolah Sing died at Cash

More mutinies have been discovered among the Bom-bay troops, and it is supposed that several suspected regi-ments would be disarmed.

Lord Elgin had transferred the frigates Shannon and Pearl to the service of the East India government, and was about returning to China. as about returning to China.

Martial law had been proclaimed at Belgium.

The Paris Patric says that a serious dissension had arisen between Lord Canning, governor-general of In-dia, and Sir Colin Campbell, Lord Elgin siding with the latter.

The latest account rays that Gen. Havelock's position is regarded as precarious.

Sir R. W. Carden has been elected Lord Mayor of

London.

An English officer reports that he saw Nena Sahib and his family swamped in a boat on the Ganges, and all drowned.

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A telegraphic despatch from Marseilles to Paris says
that the population of Bengal was beginning to rise and
were killing the English; also, that the revolution was ecoming general.

No merchandise was reaching Calcutta. Imports were

No merchandise was reaching Calcutta. Imports were accumulating, as there were no buyers.

Money in the East was disappearing, and the paper of the East India Company was at 25 per cent. discount.

The Atlantic arrived at her dock at 10, a. m., with 120 passengers, including Charles S. Spence, bearer of the ratified commercial treaty with Persia; F. Schroder, late minister to Sweden; W. R. Osborn, president of the Illinois Central railroad; and G. F. Train, of Boston. The Atlantic also brings \$17,000 in specie.

THE LATEST. London, Saturday, noon.—Consols, 901 a 901 for ac-

count.

The Bombay Times, received by the overland mail, does not mention the arrival of General Havelock at Lucknow. It designates the intelligence as of a disastrous character.

A letter from Aboo says that the King of Delhi has

offered to make terms, provided his annual stipend was increased; but he was informed that nothing but an un-conditional surrender would be accepted. Numbers of mutineers were leaving Delhi unarmed. The Punjaub was tranquil. The organization of Sikh

The Punjatib was tranquit. The organization of Sikh regiments was rapidly progressing.

The King's magazine at Jodhpoore had been struck by lightning; 900 persons were killed, and £1,000,000 of property destroyed.

The whole province of Bengal had become alarmed, and the civilians at Gojah had fied to Parna, leaving the treasure in charge of the 5th person.

ury in charge of the 64th regiment, which was in a pre-carious situation. Calcutta was becoming crowded with fugitives from all parts of Bengal. Appointment of a Canal.

New York, Oct. 12.—Edward M. Archibald, formerly attorney general at Newfoundland, has been appointed British consul at New York. Sr. Louis, Oct. 12.—Democrats in Kansas charge that

large numbers of armed men came from Nebraska and voted the black-republican ticket. The democrate claim a majority of members in both branches of the legislative assembly.

Latest from McLico. New ORLEANS, Oct. 12 .- Dates from Vera Cruz to the 7th inst. have been received.

The Congress had held a primary meeting, and elected Manuel Ruise president.

ored that General Alvarez had been assassi It was rume The insurgents in the South still held out

Robberies were numerous throughout the country. Sailing of the Atlantic Postponed.

New York, Oct. 12.—The sailing of the steamer At-antic has been postponed until Saturday, the 24th of Oc-Another Marine Disaster.

NCRPOLK, Oct. 12.—The ship Black Squall, from Al-xandria, bound to New York, with her masts and main om gone and the mainsail split.

The mate and one man were lost overboard.

The Banks in Charleston. CHARLESTON, Oct. 12.—The Southwestern Railroad ank and the Bank of South Carolina suspended this norning. There is a run on all the banks.

Steamer Detained. Charleston, Oct. 12.—The steamer Marion, hence for New York, was detained in consequence of the bad weather, but will start at noon to-day.

Marine Disaster. Norrolk, Oct. 12.—The schooner J. P. Lofland, bound for New York, put in here with her sails lost other damage.

Another Su.pensicn. New York, Oct. 12.-The Grocers' Bank has su

Banks Contracting. New York, Oct. 12.—It is understood that the bank ontractions for the last week exceeded \$5,000,000.

## Collector's Office, City Hall,

OTICE TO TAX-PAYERS—Deduction for prompt payment.—Notice is hereby given that the taxes for the year are due, and payable at this office, sed that a deduction of at cent, is allowed by law for the current year if paid on or before 15th day of october next. JAS. F. HALLIDAY,

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Magnificent Grain and Stock Farm for Sale-THE subscriber having fixed his residence in washington for a few years, wishes to sell his farm, stock, &c., years such that to be satisfactory to any one who he sentenced to the me, as cannot fail to be satisfactory to any one who is sentenced of farming and stock rating. The term which I will sell, contains 850 acres of first quantity land, Irigin to the county of Pike, Shao of Masouri, and a little ever a mile from the town of Bowling Green, the county seat of Pike. There are about seven hundred acres of rich and gentily rolling prairs, the balance in timber. Upwards of or ich and gentily rolling prairs, the balance in timber. Upwards of or ich and gentily rolling prairs, the balance in timber. Upwards of cores in meadow, saying acres in wheat; tan acres in orchard of the least selected fruit, now carring linely, and enclosed by an Osage complemency. It is the best selected fruit, now carring linely, and enclosed by an Osage complemency for the farm is twelve—"alter from the Bourshing and rapidly growing city of Louisiana, our mara, "close on the Masis-sippi river, with a plank road complete to flowling Green, by which we can take a load of produce in wagons to Louisiana, and return the same day.

A New Star Discovered.

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I HAVE just received from Philadelphia a large to to the new rising star, double oven cook stove, and union complete, single oven, which was gotten up to any order, and which is can confidently recommend to my customers and the justile generally. They are a decided improvement on the old morning star. I had them got up expressly for this market. They are very 2004y and strong, and cast of the very best Pennsylvania malleable iron. All the cooking utensils are make extra heavy.

I have also the liberty star, made by Messers. Abbott & Lawrence, of Philadelphia; the Light street double oven cook, made by Sessers Haward, Bartlett, & Co., of Baltimore, together with the very best Pennsylvania in this or any other market, some of which are the celebrated sturies, improved globe one, and the blue ridge sirtigitic cook. If any man can produce a better cooking stove to excel the above stoves for roading, baking, &c., i will give him \$50 on each one. Please call and examine them; it will cost you nothing, and you will see all kinds and sorts of stoves, &c. For sale at C. WOODWARD'S

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The mayor in his communication states that only

terest still to accrue, besides putting that amount of funds beyond all possible danger of loss from the financial revulsion at that time apprehended.

A communication was also received from the mayor nominating Francis S. Walsh and James E. Morgan to

the deficiency in the appropriation of \$3,000 39 to happy the deficiency in the appropriation for the Asylum for the last year was reported and laid over.

A bill appropriating \$700 for the repair of the Eastern Market was passed.

This board adjourned to meet this evening at 7 o'clock

the ends, to prevent any possibility of the work cracking or spreading apart. It is estimated that, when the ironwork is all put up, the weight which will rest on the wall will be one hundred pounds to the square inch-scarcely a tithe of what it is capable of bearing. The corridors to connect the wings with the main building are being erected with all convenient despatch. The second story of the walls is more than one half crected, and the marble workers are called into active requisition to trim and

The practice in this court is quite plain. The testinony may be taken in any case without having a pre-ious decision of the court on the sufficiency of the petiupon the trial of the case, if the petitionerso elect. When claimant has completed taking and filed his testimony, he may have his case placed on the trial docket, and no further testimony shall be filed by him except in rebut-

Semmes, J. Norbeck, G. & T Parker & Co., Chas. White, H. A. Goldsmith, F. Steiger, Peter Fegan, Fowler & Co. McDevitt, P. F. Mitchell, Capt. Barron, U. S. N., J. R. Gideon, Howell & Morsell, B. J. Neale, and C. Stott; also, four hundred and fifty-one tons of ceal at Galt

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Whereas the Philodemic Society of Georgetown College having heard with profound regret the death of George Washington Parke Cestis; and

few, and beloved by all; and

Whereas he was the only person whom the Father of
his Country called by the endearing title of son, and was
the last link that bound us to a sacred and venerable

OFFICIAL. Washington, October 9, 1867. Information has been received at the department from Amos B. Or wise, the United States consul at Panan's, of the nurser, in the district of Sons, State of Panama, New Grana's, by a native of that ountry, of John Borklen, a citizen of the United States.

Certificates of shock received here on or after the Int. day of November, until further notice shall be given, will be purchased at the following rates, viz:

8 per cent premium on the loan of 1842;
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14 per cont premium on Texas indemnity 5 per cent shock, with the accrued interest payable thereous, respectively.

Where cordinates of stock inscribed and transferable on the books of the transury shall be received here, assigned to the United States, between the 1st December, when the transfer books will be cleared, and the 1st Incomber, when the transfer books will be cleared, and the 1st Juneary, when the half-year mous be expressly assigned to the United States by the stockholder, as no interest for the current half-year can be included in the settlement, but the same will be payable by the Assistant Treasurer of the interest schedules as herefulore.

In all cases the perchase sums will, be settled in favor of the lawful holder of the stock, who shall assign the the United States in the mode prescribed, by the regulations of assignants of atock; and remittance will be made of the amount by draft of the assistant treasurers at Boston, New York, or Philadelphia, at the opa, to of the party la whose favor the settlement shall be made. One day's additional interest will be added from the day of receipt here for the draft to be sent by mail.

Nagratificant Grain and Stock Farm for Sale.

recean take a load of produce in wagons to Louisiana, and return the same day.

The buildings are a cottage dwelling house in good repair, containing ought rooms; alore kitchen, pantry, smote, house, ingree houses, in each tree is a never-failing spring within two hundred yards of whether the state is the control of the house, there is a never-failing spring within two hundred yards of whether the state is the control of the house, two cisterns, oog of which is threy feet deep, and ten feet in diameter, arched over at top, with brick, and plastered inside with hydrathe cement, and otherwise finished in the completest manner. There is not a more healthful farm in the coale of Microuri's nor is there, in general estimation, a more beautified and, valuable one—according to its size—in the county. I wish to sell it, simply because whits engaged in my present enterprise, as the editor and "proprietor of the Washington Cates, I caused conveniently manage and carry it on to proper advantage.

The terms will be made very accommediating. By paying one third is cash, the purchaser can have four years to pay the balsace in, by paying interest and securing the deferred payments in the usual manner.

Any inquiry addressed to the subscriber, Washington city, or to my

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RUSTEE'S Sale of Valuable Improved Real Estate, known as the "Kirkwood House." By virtue of a deed trust from Thomas Y. Conly and wife to me, bearing date on the st day of July, in the year 1847, and recorded in Liber W. B., No. 36, folios 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, one of the land records for Washington county, in the librate of Chambers and of the

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